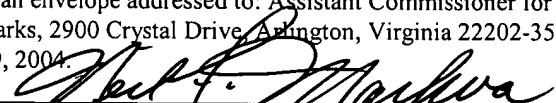


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AMENDMENT RESPONSE

This is response to an outstanding office action of April 26, 2004 in which the examiner withdrew claims 9-47 as being directed to other inventions, and rejected claims 1 and 3-8 under 35 U.S.C. § 102 as being anticipated by the newly cited reference of Wept (U.S. Patent 4,234,156).

Claim 2 is cancelled, claims 1 and 3-8 are currently amended, and claims 4 and 7 remain as dependent upon the respective currently amended claims 1 and 6. Claims 9-47 are withdrawn as non-elected restricted claims.

Applicant's Claims and Remarks

Applicant's amended claims and remarks follow on separate pages as required in the new amendment format.